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The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

September 15, 2003John E. Tarcza, Reg. No. 33,638

Date
301-354-1223

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Signature

Intellectual Property Advisor
Title

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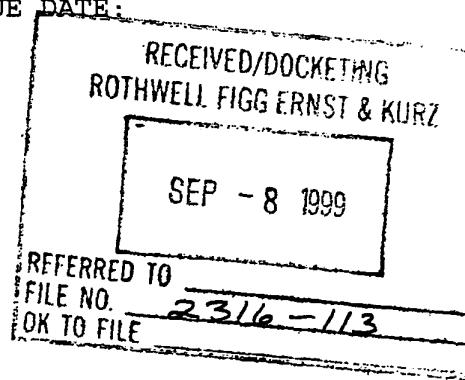
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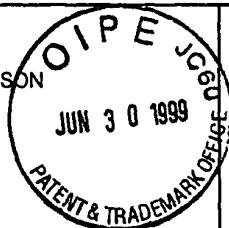
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2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

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4. Application number(s) or patent number(s):

If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is:

A. Patent Application No.(s)

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Serial No. 09/265,541, filed 09 March 1999

Additional numbers attached? Yes No

5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

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State: D.C. Zip 20004

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Stephen B. Parker, Jr.

Reg. No. 36,681

Jeffrey L. Ihnen

Name of Person Signing

Atty. Ref. 2316-113

Signature

30 June 1999

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, WE, Norman G. ANDERSON, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 10916 Wickshire Way, Rockville, Maryland 20852 and N. Leigh ANDERSON, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 1759 Willard Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20009, are the inventors of an invention in DETECTION AND CHARACTERIZATION OF MICROORGANISMS, for which we have executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States, serial number 09/265,541, filed on 09 March 1999; and

WHEREAS, BIOSOURCE PROTEOMICS, INC., incorporated in the state of Maryland, with a place of business at 9620 Medical Center Drive, Rockville, Maryland 20850, is desirous of obtaining the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention and the said application;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to us in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we the said Norman G. ANDERSON and N. Leigh ANDERSON, have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said BIOSOURCE PROTEOMICS, INC., its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention, and the said application and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all applications for Letters Patent which may hereafter be filed for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States, and all Letters Patent which may be granted for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof and all rights of priority in any such country or countries based upon the filing of the said application for Letters Patent of the United States which are created by any law, treaty or international convention; and we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States, and any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all Letters Patent for said invention to the said BIOSOURCE PROTEOMICS, INC., its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

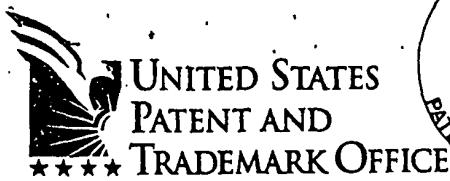
AND WE HEREBY covenant that we have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that we have not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith.

AND WE HEREBY further covenant and agree that we will communicate to said BIOSOURCE PROTEOMICS, INC., its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to us respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid the said BIOSOURCE PROTEOMICS, INC., its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said invention in all countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we hereunto set our hands and seals the day and year set opposite our respective signatures.

Date June 30, 1999 1999 Norman G. Anderson L.S.
Norman G. ANDERSON

Date June 30, 1999 1999 N. Leigh Anderson L.S.
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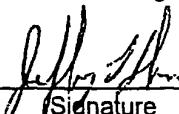
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JEFFREY L. IHNEN

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Signature

12 APRIL 2002

Date

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I, EDWARD J. FREEL, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT OF "BIOSOURCE PROTEOMICS, INC.", CHANGING ITS NAME FROM "BIOSOURCE PROTEOMICS, INC." TO "LARGE SCALE PROTEOMICS CORPORATION", FILED IN THIS OFFICE ON THE SIXTEENTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A.D. 1999, AT 11:56 O'CLOCK A.M.



Edward J. Freel

Edward J. Freel, Secretary of State

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CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT
OF
CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

Biosource Proteomics, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

DOES HEREBY CERTIFY:

FIRST: That the Board of Directors of said corporation, adopted a resolution proposing and declaring advisable the following amendment to the Certificate of Incorporation of said corporation:

RESOLVED, that the Certificate of Incorporation of Biosource Proteomics, Inc. be amended by changing the First Article thereof so that, as amended, said Article shall be and read as follows:

"FIRST: The name of the Corporation is Large Scale Proteomics Corporation "

SECOND: That in lieu of a meeting and vote of stockholders, the stockholders have given written consent to said amendment in accordance with the provisions of Section 228 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

THIRD: That the aforesaid amendment was duly adopted in accordance with the applicable provisions of Sections 242 and 228 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, said Corporation has caused this certificate to be signed by N. Leigh Anderson, its President, this 12th day of November, 1999.

Biosource Proteomics, Inc.

By N. Leigh Anderson
President

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ASSOCIATE POWER OF ATTORNEY/AUTHORIZATION OF AGENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Date: September 15, 2003

Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR § § 1.34(a) and/or 1.34(b), the undersigned hereby appoints:

R. Thomas Gallegos, Reg. No. 32,692
John C. Robbins, Reg. No. 34,706
John E. Tarcza, Reg. No. 33,638

As associate attorneys/agents of record in the above-referenced patent application, with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

I the undersigned, am a patent agent at Large Scale Proteomics Corporation and am a representative of the inventors of the instant application under 37 CFR § 1.31.

Respectfully submitted,

John E. Tarcza

Reg. No. 33,638

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September 15, 2003

Large Scale Biology Corporation, a corporation, certifies that it is the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in the patent application identified above by virtue of

[X] A Chain of title from the inventor(s), of the patent application/patent identified above, to the current assignee as shown below:

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The undersigned has reviewed all the documents in the chain of title of the patent application identified above and, to the best of the undersigned's knowledge and belief, title is in the assignee identified above.

The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is empowered to act on behalf of the assignee. I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further, that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application of any patent issuing thereon.

Respectfully submitted,

John E. Tarcza

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